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A Word about the Artists and Exhibition

The Town and Country Art Show is a culmination of the work of conscientious and dedicated people across Illinois who have struggled to make the county, regional and state exhibitions the great success that they have been for the past 24 years. Without the participating artists, and without those who arrange the shows, the rest of us would not be able to enjoy the arts and crafts of our state to the extent that we have.

The enjoyment obtained from the Town and Country Show is something special, and it's *important*. We have some magnificent museums in Illinois where we can see the work of Renoir, Van Gogh, Matisse and other master artists both living and dead. And we are fortunate to be able to see such works because great artists speak with the kind of visual eloquence that amazes us, and makes us feel good about the things that a human being can do and the things he can think, feel, and imagine. *But* ideas, emotions, and dreams are not the exclusive property of famous artists. It could be argued, in fact, that many of the less fortunate among us possess little of anything else these days. Yet, as long as we have those thoughts, feelings and dreams we can be poor in dollars without being poor in spirit. And it is the marvelous spirit of the people of this state that one observes and enjoys in the Town and Country Show. It is evident, I think, in the images of sweetcorn, oil drums, apples, and eagles. It can be seen in pictures of men in overalls, women sewing and ducks on the wing. There are paintings and drawings of landscapes, eggs, flowers, and farmers working. There are images of farm auctions, children, and there are pieces of beautifully sculptured wood.

In short, the Town and Country Show helps us to appreciate bits and pieces of life that we otherwise might have missed. And those bits and pieces are frequently ones that we might not find in the Chicago Art Institute or the Krannert Museum. How many paintings of newsstands for example, have you seen in the Art Institute? Or, how many times have you seen an image of hayforks in any museum? Probably, it cannot be seen anywhere except here. And that's what makes the Town and Country Show so important.

Kenneth Lansing
Professor of Art
and Design
University of Illinois

Dedication



J. B. Claar

M. S. Williams

To J. B. Claar and M. S. Williams . . .

J. B. Claar and M. S. Williams have been staunch supporters in the growth and development of the Illinois Town and Country Art Show.

J. B. (Jack) Claar, Director of the Cooperative Extension Service and Associate Dean of the College of Agriculture, is a native of Watson, Illinois. He received his B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Illinois.

A recognized authority in the field of agricultural economics, farm management and continuing education, he worked with the Sangamon Valley Farm Business Farm Management (FBFM) service from 1947-51. He then became a member of the U of I College of Agriculture staff as farm-management specialist and state leader of FBFM fieldmen. In 1955, he was named chief of the farm-management Extension branch of the Federal Extension Service in Washington, and in 1958 he was appointed administrative field representative of the Federal Extension Service. He was associate director of Cooperative Extension in Illinois from 1960 to 1964 and was appointed director in April 1965. In 1973, he was appointed Associate Vice President for Public Service for the university system involving all campuses. During 1976, Claar spent three months on administrative leave studying development in the Open University of Great Britain and a similar program in Germany to assess how a multi-media approach involving remote instruction could be used in adult education in the United States. Claar has served as a consultant to U of I programs in Africa and India.

He retires from his Extension post this year, so that he may take a more active role in his public-service responsibilities.

M. S. (Moe) Williams joined the staff of the Illinois Cooperative Extension Service as assistant director in April 1963. A native of Orange County, North Carolina, he attended North Carolina State College, where he completed his B.S. and M.S. degrees. He received his Ph.D. from Purdue University.

From 1947 to 1954, he was a farm-management specialist with the North Carolina Extension Service. From 1956 to 1960, he was chief of agricultural economics for the National Plant Food Institute in Washington, D.C. He left this position to become director of economic research for the Sulphur Institute, Washington, D.C. During his three years with the Institute, he served in Rome for a six-month period as consultant to the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations. He was made Associate Director of Illinois Extension in 1969 and became the administrative representative to the State Town and Country Art Show Committee.

Williams was always excited about the Town and Country Art Program. He especially enjoyed meeting and talking with the artists and watching their talents mature. On August 14, 1979, Moe Williams lost his battle with cancer.

Together, Jack Claar and Moe Williams have given valuable administrative support that has made Town and Country Art exhibitions an integral part of the Cooperative Extension Service programming in Illinois communities.

History Of Town And Country Amateur Art Exhibition

For 24 years the University of Illinois has recognized the work of amateur artists through a statewide program known today as the Town and Country State Amateur Art Exhibition.

The program began in 1956 as a rural arts show held in conjunction with the 55th Farm and Home Week. In the early years of the show, exhibitors were limited to residents of rural Illinois—the open country and towns of less than 10,000 population. The program has since been broadened to include all interested Illinois amateur artists.

Amateurs are classified as those who engage in art as a pastime without pursuing it as a professional career. Any person who receives half or more of his income from the sale of his art work or services, or who holds a degree in art from a professional school, is ineligible.

In its first 24 years, the Town and Country Amateur Art Exhibition has involved almost 96,247 amateur artists, with more than 167,000 entries at the county level, and 4,164 prize-winning works selected for the state show.

Credit for the idea of a rural arts show in Illinois goes to Hadley Read, head of the U. of I. Office of Agricultural Communications. Returning from the Minnesota Farm and Home Week in 1955, he brought a catalog of their Rural Artists exhibit. Read suggested to E. H. (Duke) Regnier, professor of rural recreation, that Illinois initiate a similar show for the Farm and Home Week.

Regnier and others agreed it was a good idea and thought the rural people of Illinois would be interested. At that time, some home advisers conducted programs to further the appreciation of arts and crafts. Also, the Cooperative Extension Service Program of Leisurecraft and Counseling Camp and the county craft schools could provide exhibitors.

The Division of University Extension was offering art courses conducted by Art Professor Walter M. Johnson. He accepted the idea enthusiastically as a way to unite the scattered efforts of educational, recreational, and

personal pursuits in arts and crafts.

The proposal received the active support and cooperation of the College of Fine and Applied Arts. Dean A. S. Weller met with members of the art staff—Glenn Bradshaw, Nicholas Britsky, George Foster, Don Frith, and Johnson—and the proceedings were presented to Dean Louis B. Howard of the College of Agriculture.

Howard approved the idea and appointed a committee consisting of L. E. Anderson, D. A. Brown, Jessie Heathman, Dorothy O. Twardock and Regnier to plan a rural arts show for the 55th Farm and Home Week. Bradshaw and Foster were consultants.

The response for the exhibit was greater than anticipated. The 100 entries crowded the Agriculture Library in Mumford Hall on the U. of I. campus. The show included the works of 42 artists from 19 Illinois communities. The jury, consisting of Johnson, Bradshaw, Foster and Frith, selected 10 pieces to receive special citations. Highlighting the first exhibit were a number of gallery features consisting of demonstrations in ceramics by Frith, oil painting by Foster, watercolors by Bradshaw, and miniatures by Nella Van Wyk, a guest artist from Johannesburg, South Africa.

The response and enthusiasm of Farm and Home Week participants, faculty, and staff were great enough to insure its becoming a regular part of Farm and Home Week.

Although the last Farm and Home Week was held in 1962, the Art Exhibition continues as an independent unit of the U. of I.

From the Agriculture Library the state show moved to lower gym of the Women's Building (now the English Building), the Bevier Hall basement, then to the Architecture Gallery, and in 1968, the Town and Country State Amateur Art Exhibition opened in Lincoln Square, Urbana. Since then the Lincoln Square Management Association has cooperated in staging the show here, giving thousands the opportunity to view the work of amateur artists from throughout the state.

The Twenty-Fourth Annual Town and Country State Amateur Art Exhibition

STATE JURIST

Doyle Moore

Professor of Art and Design
University of Illinois

This state exhibition is the culmination of 77 county and district shows held during this year. These exhibits drew 9,015 entries from 4,028 artists in 68 counties. From these local shows, coordinated by county cooperative Extension staff members, 1,107 were selected for the 9 regional shows. A total of 768 pieces were exhibited in the regional exhibitions. From this group, 164 blue ribbon entries were selected for exhibition in the state show.

The College of Agriculture, Cooperative Extension Service, College of Fine and Applied Arts, College of Applied Life Studies and the Office of Continuing Education and Public Service sponsor the exhibit.

We are proud to announce that in the last two years the Town and Country Art Show Pro-

gram has been nominated for the Governor's Award for the Arts. This recognition is due to the support and dedication of the amateur artists of Illinois.

We appreciate the enthusiastic cooperation of the Lincoln Square management in staging and publicizing the exhibition in the High Court Mall.

If you wish to purchase items in the exhibition, please contact the artists. Their addresses are listed in the catalog.

This year's show represents the best in Illinois amateur art. We hope you enjoy it.

Jane A. Scherer
Jane A. Scherer, Chairperson

THE 1979 TOWN AND COUNTRY STATE AMATEUR ART EXHIBITION COMMITTEE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN

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Regional and County Art Exhibitions

REGIONAL JURISTS

David Bower, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb
Don Davis, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville
W. D. Hartley, Illinois State University, Normal
Phil Johnson, Blackhawk College, Moline
Kenneth Lansing, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
Robert R. Malone, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville
Curtis Stephens, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
Norman Van Koughnett, Former Art Instructor

COUNTY JURISTS

ERIC ANDERSON Architect and Artist Stockton	JOHN HARTMAN Bradley University Peoria	PAUL MITCHELL Lewis University DeKalb
LYLE ANDERSON Illinois Central College East Peoria	RONALD ISOM Belleville East High School Belleville	DON MITTEN Artist Orion
JERRY BAUM Commercial Artist Evansville	WALTER JOHNSON GEORGE FOSTER JAMES MARSHALL DOYLE MOORE EDWARD BETTS KATHERYN ROBINS WILLIAM JACKSON MARK SPRAGUE JAMES LYNCH KENNETH LANSING LOUISE WOODROOF University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign	SARAH REDD JAMES JOHNSON BEN WATKINS CARL EMMERICH JERRY McROBERTS Eastern Illinois University Charleston
LUCY BELMER Art Teacher Springfield	CAROL KAUFFMAN ALLEN FORYS Olney Central College Olney	CHARLOTTE ROLLMAN-SHAY Commercial Artist
HARLOW B. BLUM Monmouth College Monmouth	KAREN KIETZMAN St. Frances School Joliet	MARGARET ROSSITER Sangamon State University Springfield
LARRY CALHOUN MacMurray College Jacksonville	HERBERT LANE Photographer & Commercial Artist Downers Grove	WILLIAM SANDERS EUGENE SOLOT Western Illinois University Macomb
JAMES M. CLARK Blackburn College Carlinville	FRED MAURICE University of Illinois Chicago Circle Campus	ROY SCHOENBORN Southeast Missouri State University Cape Girardeau, Missouri
DORIS CASON School District East St. Louis	ROBERT LEE MEJER Quincy College Quincy	WAYNE L. SHAW Belleville Junior College Belleville
GORDON DORN BARBARA KRUG HELEN MERRITT Northern Illinois University DeKalb	JUDITH MILLIS JOE WEBER DENNIS RINGERING MICHAEL SMITH Southern Illinois University Edwardsville	DOROTHY SMITH Blackhawk College Kewanee
LOIS EPLER Mt. Carmel High School Mt. Carmel		E. MAX VON ISSER Elgin Community College Elgin
CAROLL GIBBONS Lakeland College Mattoon		
WILLIAM D. HARTLEY Illinois State University Normal		

Participants in the State Town and Country Art Exhibition

1. MILDRED L. ANDERSON
R.R. 1, Evergreen Court, Williamsville, IL 62693
(Sangamon)
Geraniums/Acrylic (See Artist)
2. CARL M. ATOR
132 S. Main, Winchester, IL 62694 (Scott)
Woody Drake/Clay Sculpture (See Artist)
3. KATHY BELLMANN
109 N. Missouri, Belleville, IL 62221 (St. Clair)
Experiment in Color/Watercolor (For Sale)
4. DON BRANCH
720 McAdams, Greenville, IL 62246 (Bond)
 - a. Antique Shop/Acrylic (For Sale)
 - b. Depot Revisited/Acrylic (For Sale)
5. DAVID BROUILLETTE
233 S. Granger, Harrisburg, IL 62946 (Saline)
Glory/Acrylic (Not for Sale)
6. HAZEL BROWN
1032 E. First Street, Monmouth, IL 61462 (Warren)
Sand Dunes/Oil (Not for Sale)
7. SHARON BRUELL
R.R. 1, Sparland, IL 61565 (Marshall)
Times Treasures/Pastel (Not for Sale)
8. JOHANNA A. BRUNS
R.R. 1, Winchester, IL 62694 (Scott)
Natural Beauty/Weaving (Not for Sale)
9. MARY JANE LIPOUSKY BUTIKAS
1119 S. State Street, Westville, IL 61883 (Vermilion)
Discarded Pair/Oil (Not for Sale)
10. DARYL CHADY
201 W. Park, Benton, IL 62812 (Franklin)
Blue Flowers/Watercolor (For Sale)
11. NADINE CHILDENS
213 Paint Creek Lane, Carmi, IL 62821 (White)
Coming Storm/Watercolor (See Artist)
12. DONALD R. COOK
R.R. 2, Lawrenceville, IL 62439 (Lawrence)
Akin's Barn/Ink (Ballpoint) (Not for Sale)
13. MARY L. CUMMINGS
Chambersburg, IL 62323 (Pike)
Portrait of a Tree/Oil (Not for Sale)
14. BROTHER MARTIN de PORRES CUYPERS
Brother James' Court, R.R. 1, Sangamon Avenue
Road, East
Springfield, IL 62707 (Sangamon)
Oriental Bud Vase/Stoneware (Not for Sale)
15. JUNE DILTS
R.R. 2, Smithfield, IL 61477 (Fulton)
Old Homestead/Oil (Not for Sale)
16. ALBERT L. DITTMAN
540 Phillips Circle, Antioch, IL 60002 (Lake)
Backpacker/Wood Sculpture (Not for Sale)
17. CATHY D. DRAKE
R.R. 4, Paris, IL 61944 (Edgar)
A Stitch in Time/Photography (Not for Sale)
18. MARY K. EWELL
R.R. 3, Harrisburg, IL 62946 (Saline)
Stephanie/Watercolor (Not for Sale)
19. LYNN FINCH
1103 W. Main, Aledo, IL 61231 (Mercer)
 - a. Eden's Serpent/Pen and Ink (See Artist)
 - b. Bound/Plaster Casting (See Artist)
20. WALTER T. FINLEY
147 N. Broad St., Hillsboro, IL 62049 (Montgomery)
Pride/Photography (Not for Sale)
21. HILARY K. FRENCH
R.R. 2, Box 187, Virginia, IL 62691 (Cass)
Soft Sculpture/Yarn (See Artist)
22. JANE FREY
518 W. Franklin, Taylorville, IL 62568 (Christian)
 - a. Grass/Watercolor (Not for Sale)
 - b. View From My Kitchen Window/Watercolor (Not for Sale)
23. KARLA A. GIANNOTTI
R.R. 1, Box 153, Newark, IL 60541 (Kendall)
Vermont Barn/Watercolor (Not for Sale)
24. IRENE GIBB
R.R. 1, Box 238, Biggsville, IL 61418 (Henderson
District #17/Oil (Not for Sale)
25. GLENN GODDARD
1313 Wisconsin, Windsor, IL 61957 (Shelby)
Platform Rocker and Stool/Walnut Wood (Not for
Sale)
26. LOIS A. GOFF
503 N. Howard, Robinson, IL 62454 (Crawford)
Mary's Porch/Photography (Not for Sale)
27. MARILYN GROSS
54 Sunset Drive, Streator, IL 61364 (LaSalle)
Far From the City/Oil (Not for Sale)
28. SHIRLEY GROSS
1116 Jefferson, Beardstown, IL 62618 (Cass)
Fall Harvest, Oil (Not for Sale)
29. DIAN GRZANICH
237 Harvester, Canton, IL 61520 (Fulton)
Susan, Oil-Pastel (Not for Sale)
30. HELEN L. HARRIS
R.R. 3, Fairfield, IL 62837 (Wayne)
Velvet Coverlet, Velvet and Stitchery (See Artist)

31. BARBARA "SUZANNE" HASSLER
R.R. 5, Princeton, IL 61356 (Bureau)
Jewelry Neck Piece/Silver, Ivory, Ebony, Obsidian
(Not for Sale)

32. BERNICE D. HAUSWALD
17W. 35 White Pine Road, Bensenville, IL 60106
(DuPage)
Back To Nature/Watercolor (Not for Sale)

33. JANICE L. HEIDEN
R.R. 1, Mason, IL 62443 (Effingham)
Bethlehem/Acrylic (Not for Sale)

34. PEG HELLIGE
375 N. 11th, Breese, IL 62230 (Clinton)
Iced Apples/Color Photography (Not for Sale)

35. DOROTHY M. HICKEY
R.R. 1, Box 96, Hanover, IL 61041 (Jo Daviess)
Lee/Oil (For Sale)

36. JULIE HILLIARD
R.R. 3, Harrisburg, IL 62946 (Saline)
The Auctioneer/Watercolor (Not for Sale)

37. ANNA F. HJORT
433 W. Carter, Cerro Gordo, IL 61818 (Macon)
Macon County Still Life/Oil (For Sale)

38. JAMES P. HOFFMAN
136 N. Lakeshore Drive, Mundelein, IL 60060 (Lake)
Cochlear Visions/Transparent Watercolor (Not for
Sale)

39. DOROTHY HOOVER
4 Forest Drive, North Pekin, IL 61554 (Tazewell)
Peoria Waterfront/Oil (See Artist)

40. JUNE M. HOUSTON
105 North St., Arenzville, IL 62611 (Cass)
a. Vegetables/Oil (Not for Sale)
b. Petunias/Watercolor (Not for Sale)

41. JANE HUBBARD
R.R. 1, Box 17A, New Windsor, IL 61465 (Mercer)
Eagles/Oil (Not for Sale)

42. ARTHUR G. HYDE, M.D.
306 W. Ninth St., Beardstown, IL 62618 (Cass)
Untitled No. 2/Photography (Not for Sale)

43. MARTHA JENKINS
201 Central St., Washington, IL 61571 (Tazewell)
Teakettle, Etc./Ink (See Artist)

44. WILMA R. JENKINS
725 S. 15th St., Mt. Vernon, IL 62864 (Jefferson)
Thunder and Lightning/Acrylic on Tissue (For Sale)

45. MARY JANE JONSSON
Box 327, Forest City, IL 61532 (Mason)
Cedar Swamp/Oil (Not for Sale)

46. REV. LISLE KAUFFMAN
430 E. Lakeshore Dr., Round Lake, IL 60073 (Lake)
The Bingo Grain Co./Color Photography (Not for
Sale)

47. RICHARD KEEFER
604 E. Grove, DeKalb, IL 60115 (DeKalb)
Larry/Oil (Not for Sale)

48. GLADYS KESLINGER
R.R. 1, Sandwich, IL 60548 (Kendall)
A Door County Wisconsin Scene/Watercolor (For
Sale)

49. LORRAINE KOEHLER
1306 St. Julian, Pekin, IL 61554 (Tazewell)
A View of the Meadow/Oil (Not for Sale)

50. SHIRLEY R. KONEN
1607 Fifth Ave., Spring Grove, IL 60081 (Lake)
Raymond J. and Henry/Oil (Not for Sale)

51. JANE LAMPEN
495 N. 11th, Breese, IL 62230 (Clinton)
Grandpa the Gentleman Fisherman/Oil (Not for Sale)

52. MAMIE CLEMENT LANGLEY
1113 4-H Road, Ottawa, IL 61350 (LaSalle)
Matthiesen Mansion/Oil (For Sale)

53. STEVE LARIMER
R.R. 2, Roseville, IL 61473 (Warren)
Morning Flight/Acrylic (Not for Sale)

54. DOROTHY LEDBETTER
107 E. Winter, Greenville, IL 62246 (Bond)
The Old Strueber Home on Mill Hill/Watercolor (See
Artist)

55. POLLY LEGGITT
R.R. 1, Oblong, IL 62449 (Crawford)
Landscape/Pencil (Not for Sale)

56. JOYCE LEHMAN
Box 366, Astoria, IL 61501 (Fulton)
Working Woman/Charcoal-Pastel (See Artist)

57. RUTH LILES
Box 32, Utica, IL 61373 (LaSalle)
a. Pecumsagum Creek/Oil (Not for Sale)
b. Childhood Memories/Oil (Not for Sale)

58. HELEN LITWILLER
R.R. 1, Box 63, Hopedale, IL 61747 (Tazewell)
Ferne's Lake/Oil (See Artist)

59. N. J. LYNN
1727 N. 5th St., Savanna, IL 61074 (Carroll)
San Xavier del Bac/Watercolor (For Sale)

60. JAMES MAKULA
615 S. Union, Staunton, IL 62088 (Macoupin)
Old Newsstand/Oil (See Artist)

61. BETTY JO MALINEE
607 S. Jefferson, DuQuoin, IL 62832 (Perry)
Pyramid Strip Hills/Oil (See Artist)

62. MARY K. MANGOLD
408 N. West Ave., Mason City, IL 62664 (Mason)
Marbold Mansion, Greenview, Illinois/Oil (Not for
Sale)

63. ERIC MANUEL
R.R. 2, Monmouth, IL 61462 (Warren)
Untitled/Photography (Not for Sale)

64. JULIA McNEIL
7 N 625 Rt. 59, Rt. 1, Box 8, Bartlett, IL 60103
(DuPage)
Apple Abstract/Photography (For Sale)

65. NANCY MEADOWS
3140 Princeton Dr., Granite City, IL 62040 (Madison)
Heart of a Windmill/Photography (Not for Sale)

66. LAURIE MEEK
71 Hilltop Place, E. St. Louis, IL 62203 (St. Clair)
Spring Up River/Watercolor (Not for Sale)

67. GENE A. MENZ
527 Dallas Road, Washington, IL 61571 (Tazewell)
Under the Bridge/Photography (See Artist)

68. ROBERT W. MILLER
R.R. 1, Beecher City, IL 62414 (Fayette)
Jack Set/Wood (See Artist)

69. WARD L. MILLER, JR.
327 W. Ottawa St., Sycamore, IL 60178 (DeKalb)
a. Sea Captain/Wood Carving (Not for Sale)
b. Farm Auction (Country Auction)/Wood Carving (See Artist)

70. ARTHUR L. MONROE
111 S. Carrollton, White Hall, IL 62092 (Greene)
Foggy Night in Town/Color Photography (Not for Sale)

71. DON R. MUELLER
13 Rosemont, R.R. #7, Streator, IL 61364 (LaSalle)
Sitting Cat/Wood Carving (Not for Sale)

72. M. LEA MURPHY
636 Kohley Road, Lisle, IL 60532 (DuPage)
Water Lilies/Watercolor (See Artist)

73. JOYCE NEUTZLING
1711 E. C, Belleville, IL 62221 (St. Clair)
Untitled/Pencil (See Artist)

74. DAVID M. NOLAN
814 South St., Apt. 4-C, Danville, IL 61832
(Vermilion)
Untitled Photograph/Photography (For Sale)

75. EVELYN NOVAK
R.R. 1, Calhoun, IL 62419 (Richland)
Jar/Clay (Not for Sale)

76. DE EDRA A. OBERLE
R.R. 2, Box 140, Prophetstown, IL 61277 (Henry)
Reflections/Photography (For Sale)

77. MILDRED PITMAN
R.R. 1, Rio, IL 61472 (Knox)
Lake Rice/Oil (Not for Sale)

78. BEVERLY PLANT
617 E. Fairview Drive, DeKalb, IL 60115 (DeKalb)
Coleus/Oil (Not for Sale)

79. MARY PRICE
1300 East Chestnut, Mason City, IL 62664 (Mason)
Sacks and Apples/Oil (Not for Sale)

80. MARJORIE D. RENWICK
523 Chapel Street, Ottawa, IL 61350 (LaSalle)
Spring Thaw/Watercolor (Not for Sale)

81. JO HANNA REYNOLDS
Box 125, Corner of Congress and Highway St., Perry,
IL 62362 (Pike)
The Split/Acrylic (Not for Sale)

82. S. L. RICE
1025 S. First, Morton, IL 61550 (Tazewell)
Sea Gulls Over Copenhagen/Photography (See Artist)

83. MICHAEL A. ROBERTS
430 N. Illinois Ave., Salem, IL 62881 (Marion)
Early Glass/Photography (See Artist)

84. GERALD L. ROBERTSON
409 Thomas Street, Henry, IL 61537 (Marshall)
a. The Duke Family Home/Watercolor-Felt Tip (Not for Sale)
b. The Potter House/Watercolor-Felt Tip (See Artist)

85. CAROLYN ROBINETTE
R.R. 2, Ramsey, IL 62080 (Fayette)
Bringing Home the Cows/Oil (Not for Sale)

86. BETTY SCHMIDT
105 E. Lakeview Ave., Round Lake, IL 60073 (Lake)
Geranium in Clay Pot/Oil (See Artist)

87. JACK R. SCHROLL
1004 Washington St., Beardstown, IL 62618 (Cass)
a. After the Shower/Oil (See Artist)
b. Heaven in the Ozarks/Watercolor (See Artist)

88. JAMES W. SHAY
136 Laconwood Drive, Springfield, IL 62703
(Sangamon)
Kevin Shay/Acrylic (Not for Sale)

89. E. B. SIGLER
3042 — 35th Ave., Rock Island, IL 61201 (Rock Island)
The Red Barn/Watercolor (See Artist)

90. GERTRUDE SIMMONS
216 N. East 7th St., Galva, IL 61434 (Henry)
Autumn Bouquet/Watercolor (See Artist)

91. LESLIE SMIERTKA
841 Queenswood Court, Wheaton, IL 60187 (DuPage)
Necklace/Sterling Silver (For Sale)

92. MARY E. SNOW
903 Glendale Street, Benton, IL 62812 (Franklin)
Color in Motion, Pastel (Not for Sale)

93. DICK SOWERS
303 E. Main, Box 171, Bethany, IL 61914 (Moultrie)
The Old Sea Captain/Wood (Not for Sale)

94. L. ART SPOMER
704 Burkwood Drive, Urbana, IL 61801 (Champaign)
Helios — An Equatorial Sundial/Wood Sculpture (For Sale)

95. TOM STAHL
R.R. 4, Carni, IL 62821 (White)
Westport Harbor, Photography (Not for Sale)

96. MARJORIE STARKEY
1856 E. Whitmer, Decatur, IL 62521 (Macon)
Carriage House/Oil (Not for Sale)

97. DOROTHY J. STAUDER
26 Lake Shore Drive, Danville, IL 61832 (Vermilion)
Holly/Oil (Not for Sale)

98. GARRY D. STEPP
204 N. Clay, Robinson, IL 62454 (Crawford)
Painting Number One, Oil (Not for Sale)

99. VERA STINNETT
R.R. 2, Box 82A, Staunton, IL 62088 (Macoupin)
Sweet Corn/Acrylic (Not for Sale)

100. OLIVE K. STURDY
R.R. 3, Jacksonville, IL 62650 (Morgan)
Desert Home Near Literberry, Illinois/Acrylic (See Artist)

101. BETTY BEA SUHLING
R.R. 1, Pleasant Hill, IL 62366 (Pike)
A Closing Thought/Oil (Not for Sale)

102. DONALD W. SUTTON
1111 Broadway, Windsor, IL 61957 (Shelby)
A Scarce Swallowtail/Photography (See Artist)

103. BILL SWANGO
Box 18, Smithfield, IL 61477 (Fulton)
Curiosity/Wood Carving (See Artist)

104. CARLA TAYLOR
R.R. 1, Box 101B, Minooka, IL 60447 (Kendall)
a. Grandma's Supply Tank/Acrylic (Not for Sale)
b. John 3:16/Acrylic and Ink (Not for Sale)

105. MYRABEL THEOBALD
R.R. 1, Buffalo, IL 62515 (Sangamon)
Shorty's Tailor Shop/Acrylic (See Artist)

106. BETTY KAY UBBEN
481 Scotch Elm Lane, Galesburg, IL 61401 (Knox)
Untitled / Wall Hanging /Macrame (Not for Sale)

107. PAUL J. VERDERBER
429 N. Sangamon St., Lincoln, IL 62656 (Logan)
Pheasant/Wood Carving (For Sale)

108. ANNA M. WAGONER
302 E. High, Mason City, IL 62664 (Mason)
The Old Fence/Oil (Not for Sale)

109. ALLAN WELCH
301 Country Fair Dr., Champaign, IL 61820 (Champaign)
Transcending Time/Photography (For Sale)

110. LORRAINE A. WENDT
118 W. Elm Street, Mason City, IL 62664 (Mason)
Farmstead/Oil (Not for Sale)

111. LISA WEST
R.R. 1, Cowden, IL 62422 (Shelby)
a. Happy Baby/Wood (See Artist)
b. Guitar Player/Wood (Not for Sale)

112. PAT A. WHITE
R.R. 3, Marshall, IL 62441 (Clark)
Shaw House/Acrylic-Graphite (See Artist)

113. RAY WHITE
R.R. 1, Irving, IL 62051 (Montgomery)
Untitled/Photography (Not for Sale)

114. GERI WOOD
404 N. Hamilton St., Sullivan, IL 61951 (Moultrie)
November Petunias/Oil (Not for Sale)

115. BEVERLY WOODS
104 Market St., Pleasant Hill, IL 62366 (Pike)
Daisies in the Morning/Acrylic (See Artist)

116. VIVIAN WRIGHT
R.R., Box 32, McQueen Road, Malta, IL 60150 (DeKalb)
Modular Wall Hanging/Fiber (Not for Sale)

117. WANDA YUHAS
OS340 Madison, Windfield, IL 60190 (DuPage)
Boat Landing/Oil (Not for Sale)

118. LOLA W. ZIMMERLY
Sulphur Springs, Paris, IL 61944 (Edgar)
Jack-in-the-Pulpit/Watercolor (See Artist)

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Refreshments/Acrylic (For Sale)

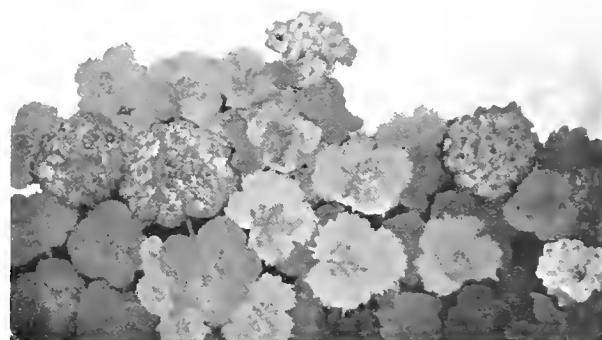
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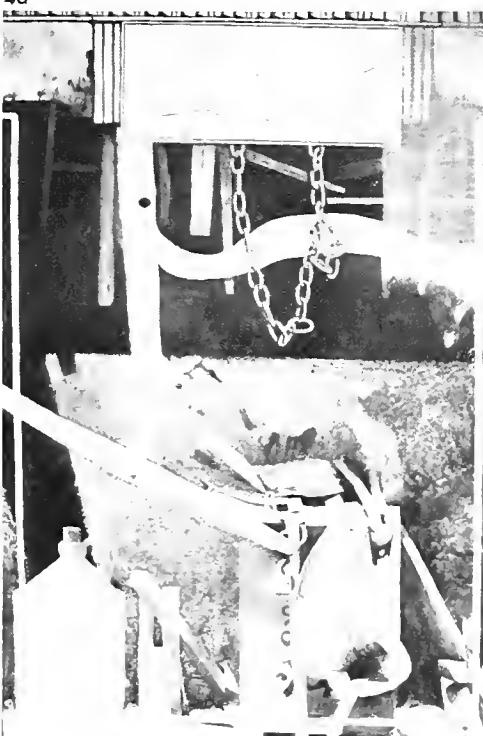
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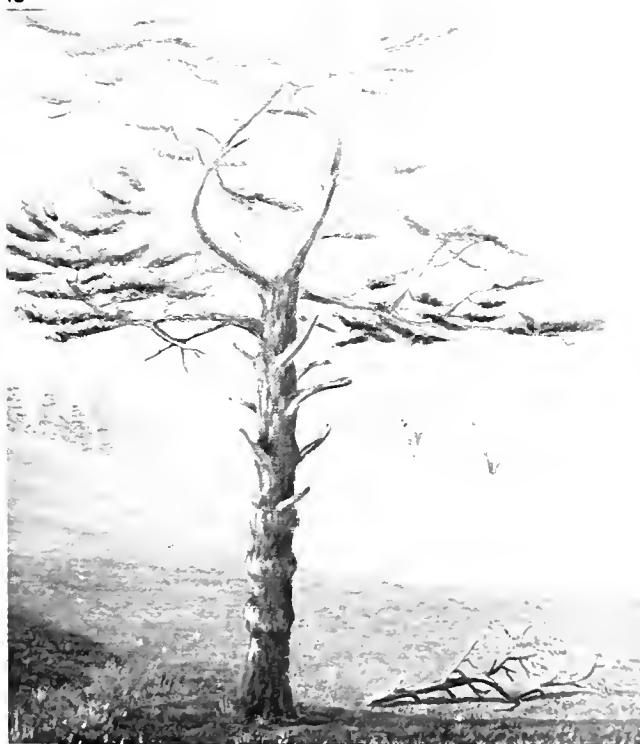
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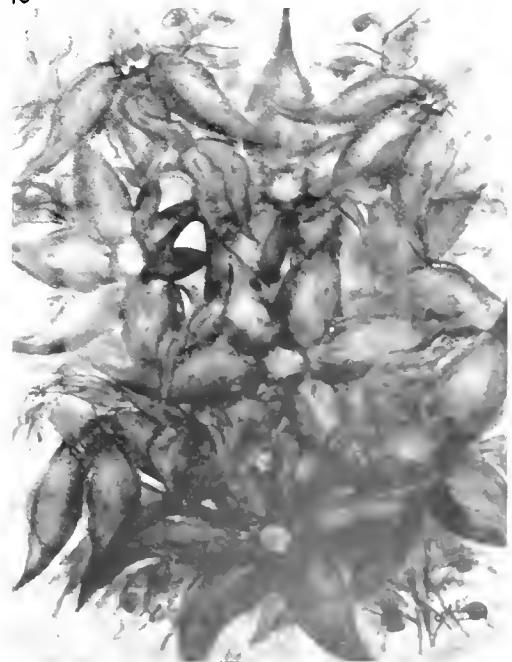
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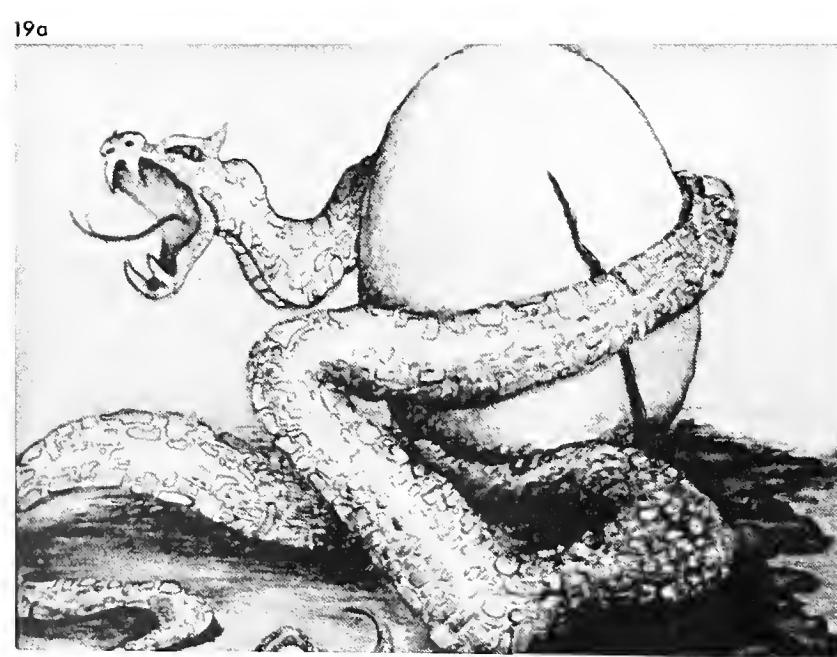
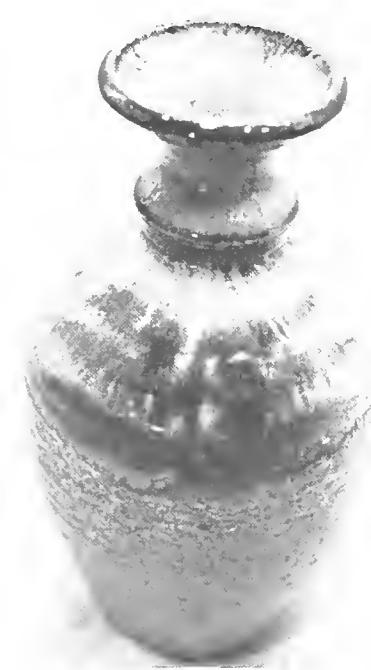


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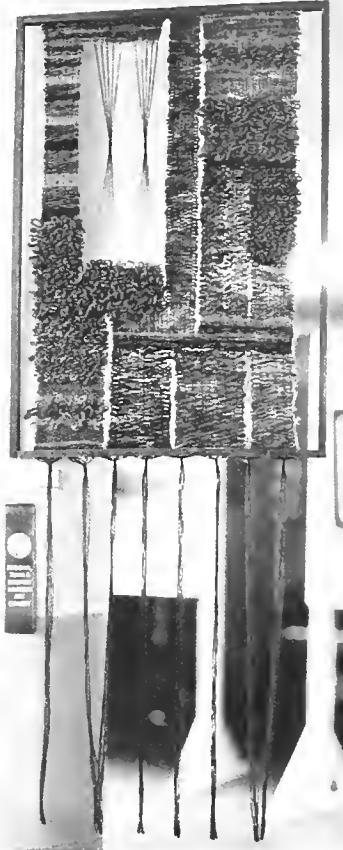




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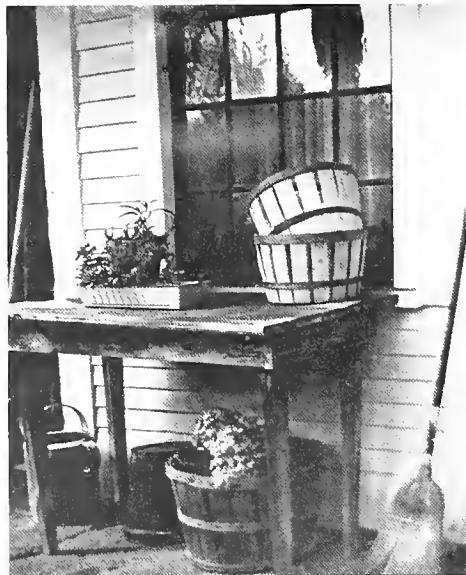
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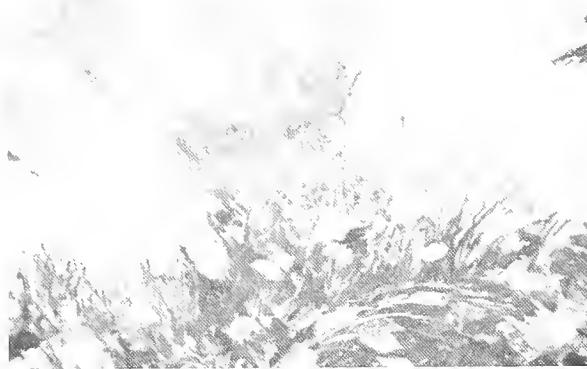
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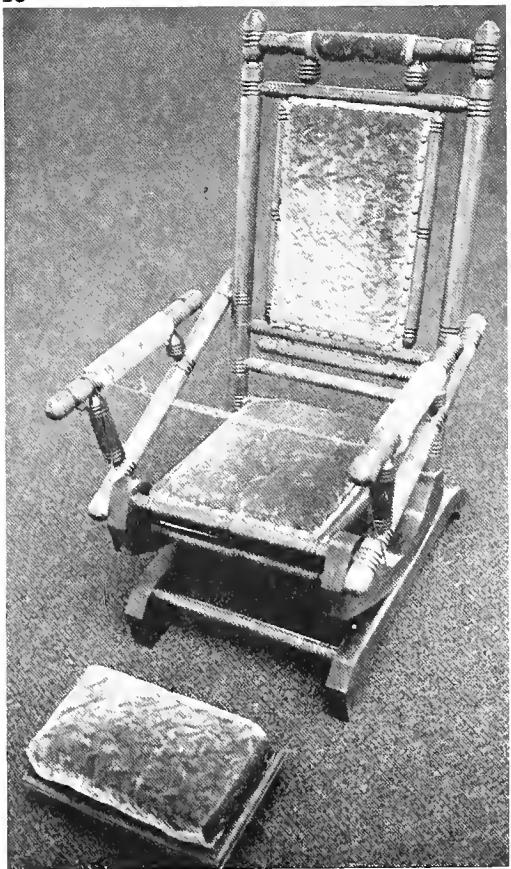
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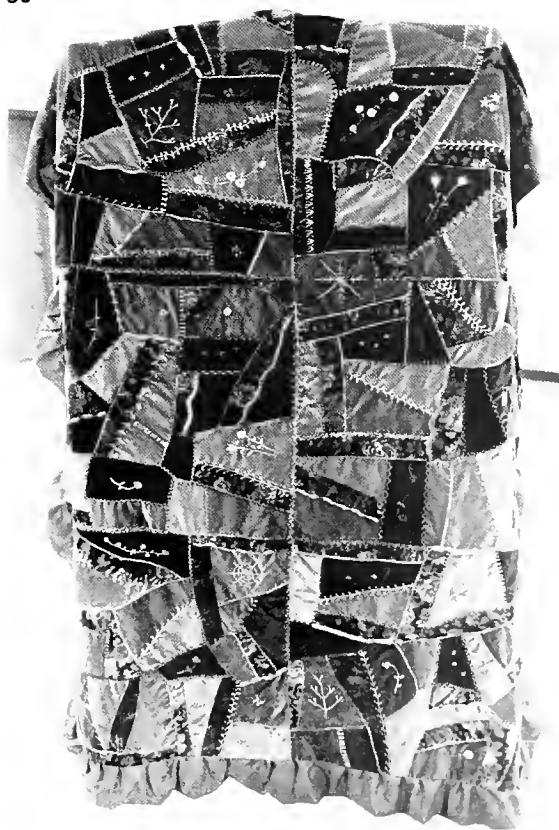
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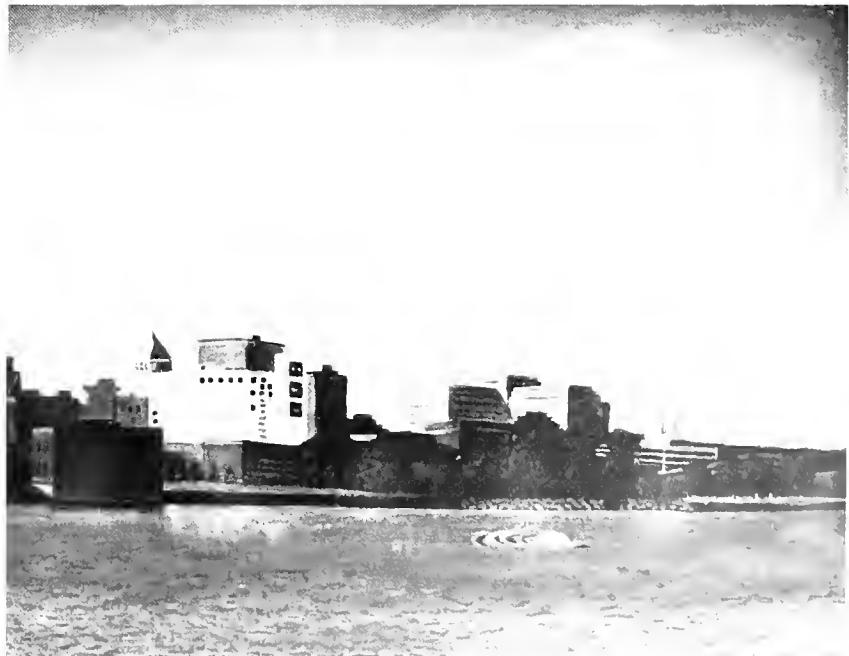
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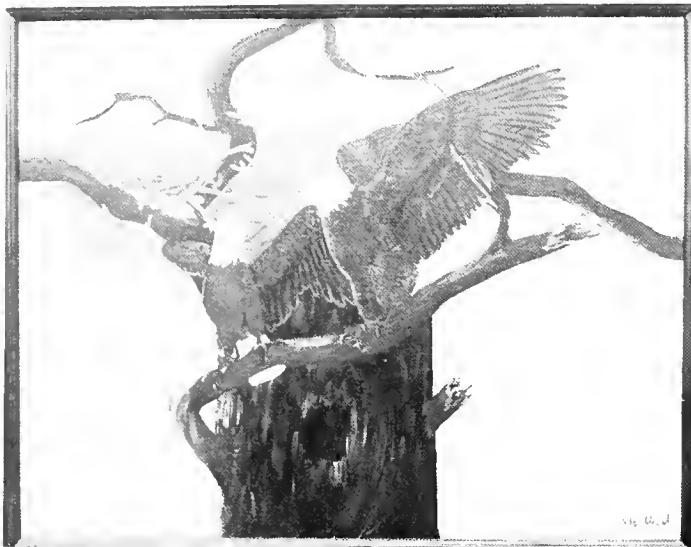
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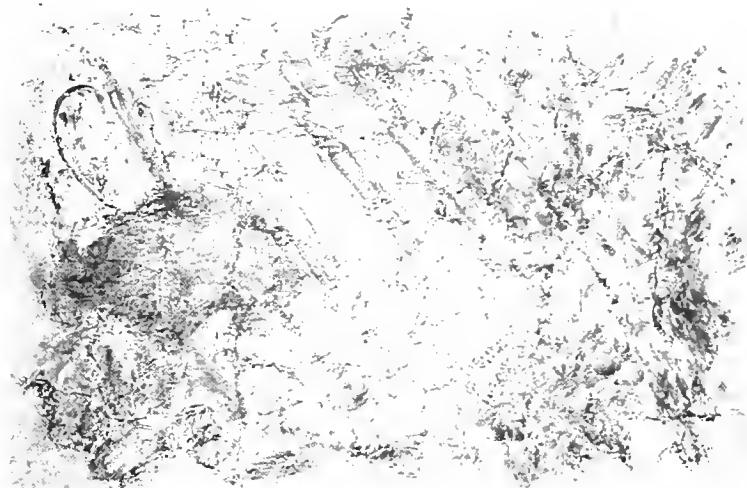
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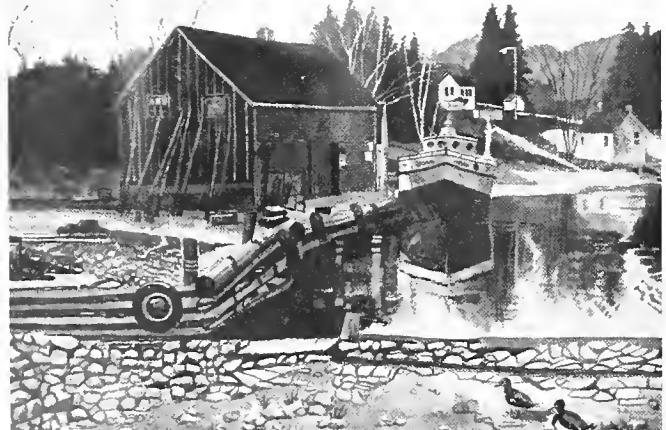
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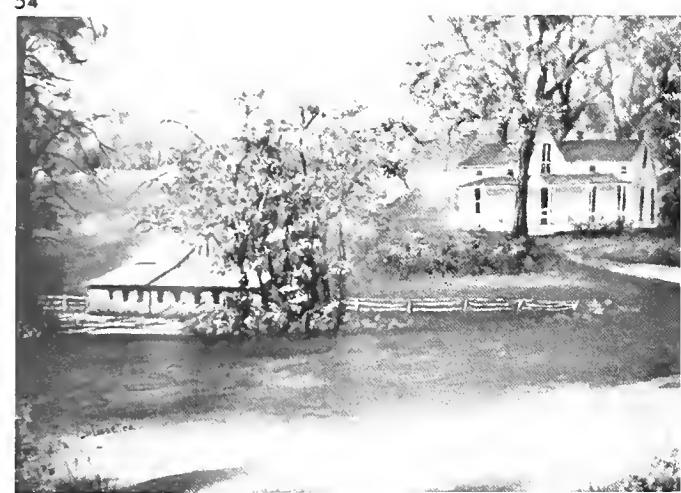
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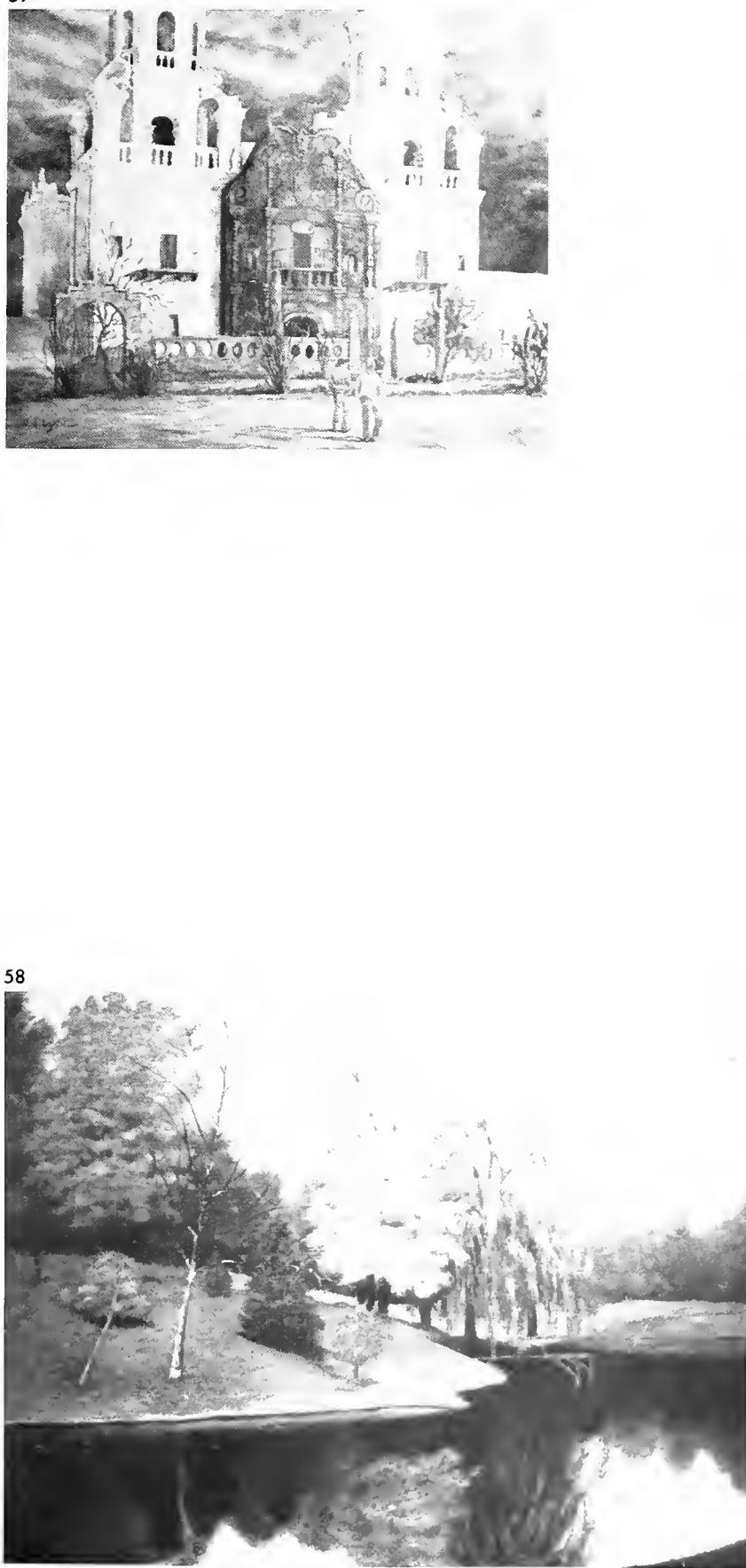
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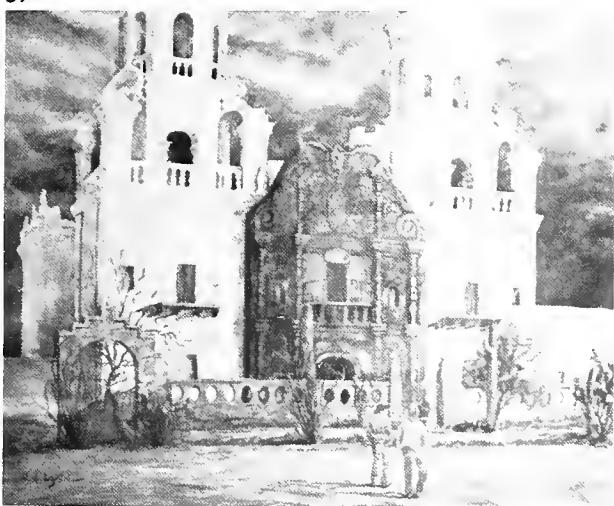
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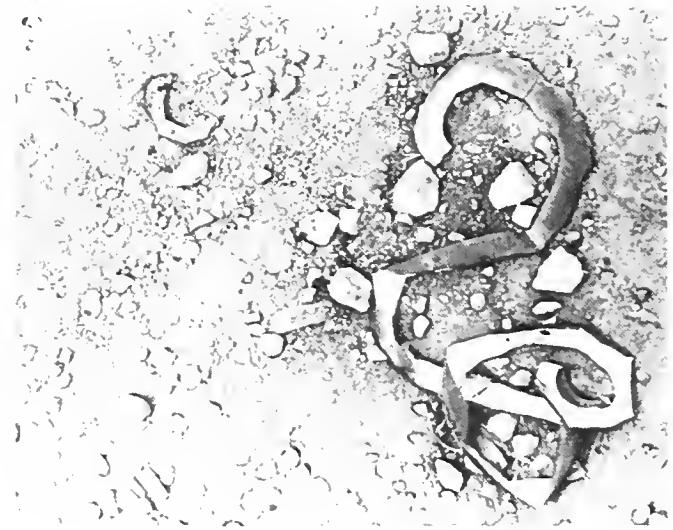
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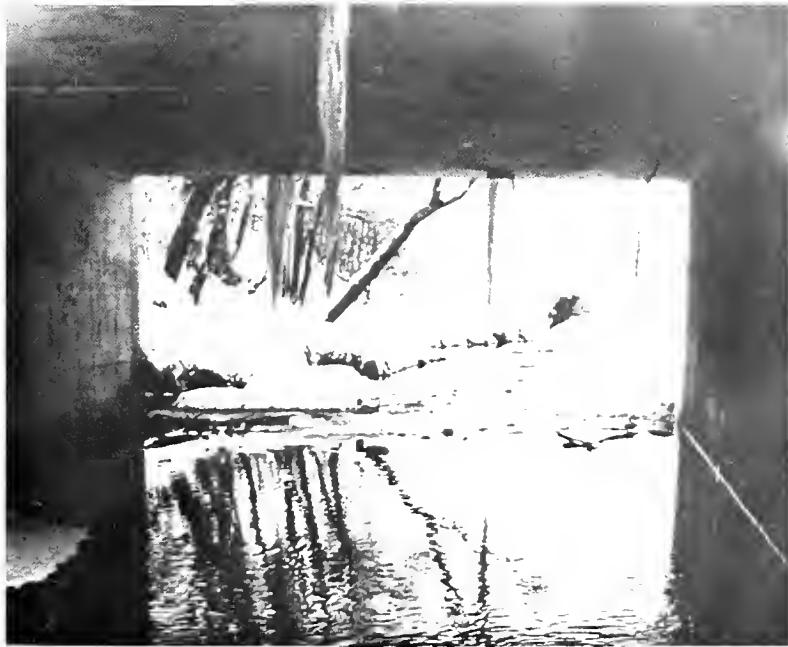
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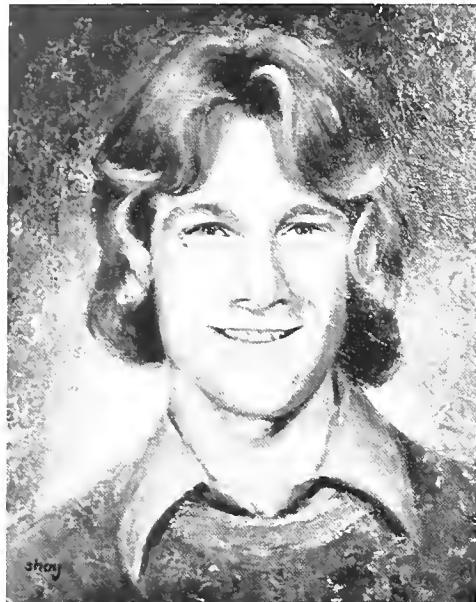
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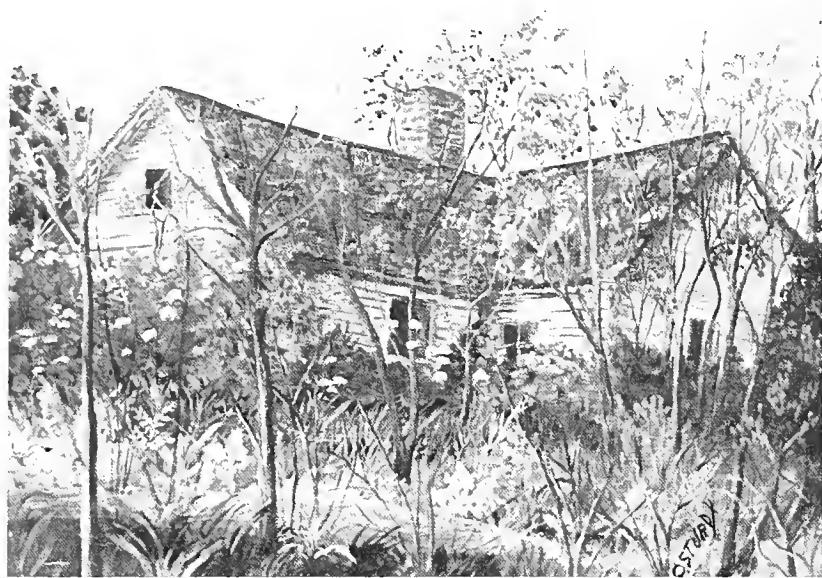
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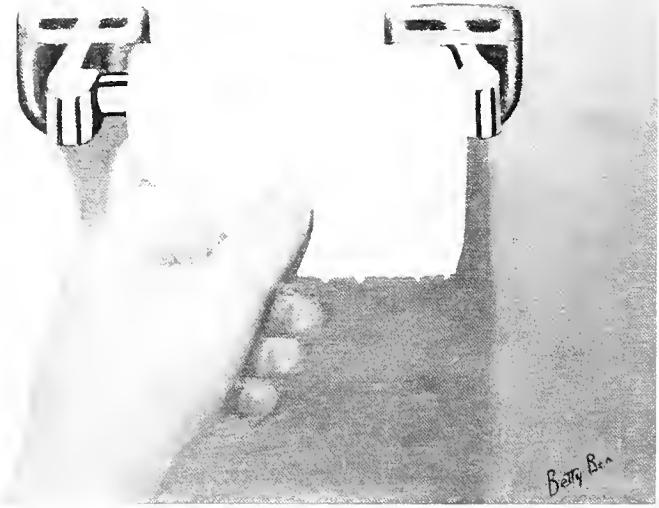
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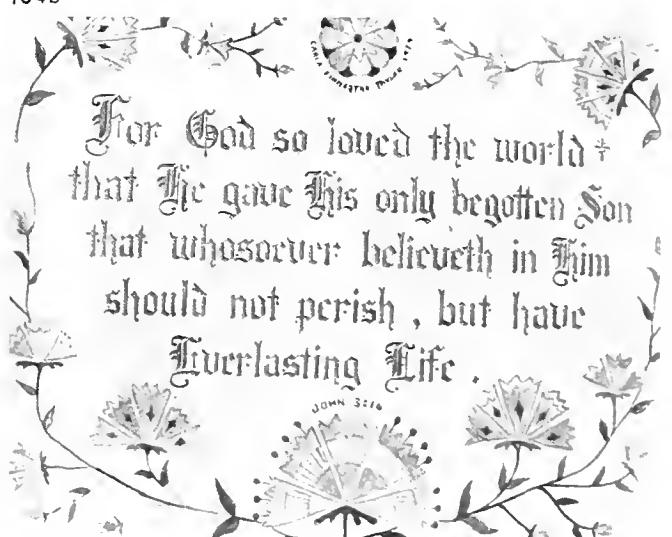


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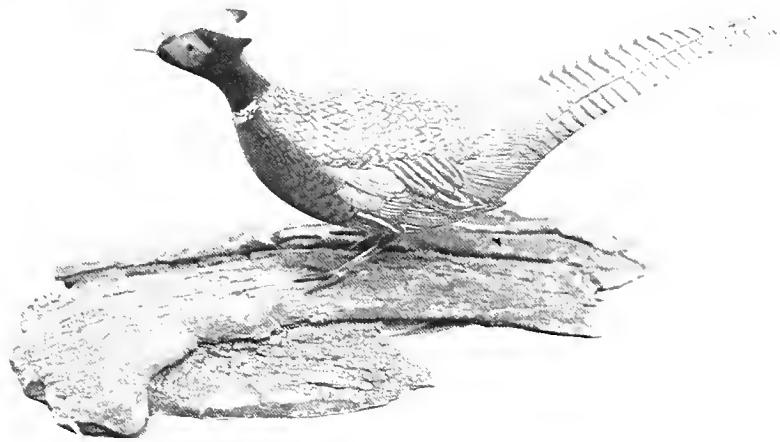
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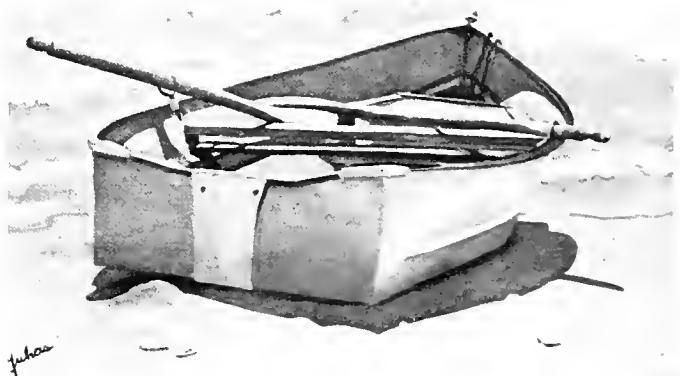
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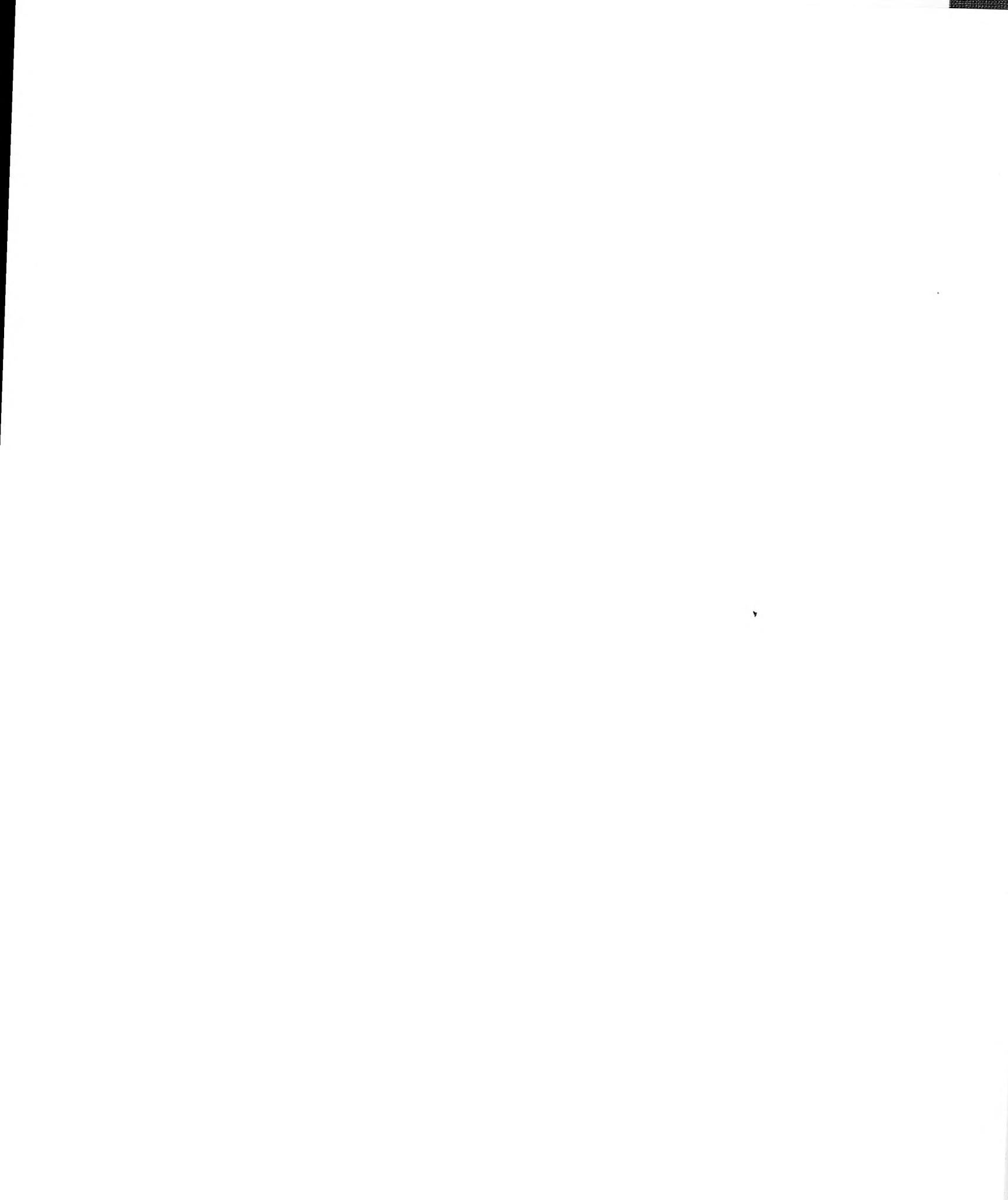
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